



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 02356.0077-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) Group Art Unit: 1635
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André CHOULIKA and Jean-Francois) Examiner: J. L. EPPS-FORD
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Application No.: 09/713,017) Confirmation No.: 6402
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Filed: November 16, 2000)
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For: NATURAL OR SYNTHETIC)
RETROELEMENT SEQUENCE)
ENABLING NUCLEOTIDE)
SEQUENCE INSERTION INTO A)
EUKARYOTIC CELL)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

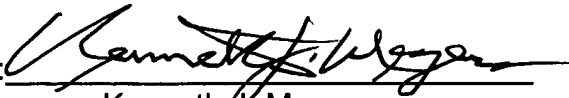
Applicants petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office
Action of April 20, 2005. A fee of \$1,020.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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